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Watch for Bears!

Bears may chase cyclists. Be especially alert on blind corners or brushy areas. If you encounter a bear at close range **stop and dismount**. Do not try to outrun a bear either on foot or on a bike! Back away slowly, keeping your bike between you and the bear. **Do not abandon your bike and run!**

Do not approach or ride past a bear that is within 300 yards of the roadside. Wait until it moves away. Watch for buses that are stopped to view wildlife, especially animals near the road. **Approaching or feeding wildlife is prohibited.**

Keep Wildlife Wild

Park rules stipulate that all bicyclists **must stop** when being approached by buses from **either direction**. This rule applies for travel beyond the Teklanika Bridge at mile 31.

Bicycle Camping

Register and pay camping fees before riding to your campground. Camping registration can be done in person at the Wilderness Access Center or by calling the reservation system at 1-800-622-7275.

Backcountry trips may originate from a front-country campground. Bike racks are located in each campground, at the Toklat and Wonder Lake Ranger Stations and Toklat River Contact Station. Inquire at the backcountry desk about where to store your bike when you get your required backcountry permit.

A backcountry permit and bear resistant food container (loaned with permit) are required. Lock your bike in one of the specified locations. Store food and other items in food lockers found at these locations. Do not leave food or other smelly items in your panniers when you store your bike. You cannot leave your bike beside the road to begin your trip.

In the spring and fall when roads are closed, you may bike the road to get near any back-country unit that is beyond a road closure, but you must store your bike in one of the locations specified above.



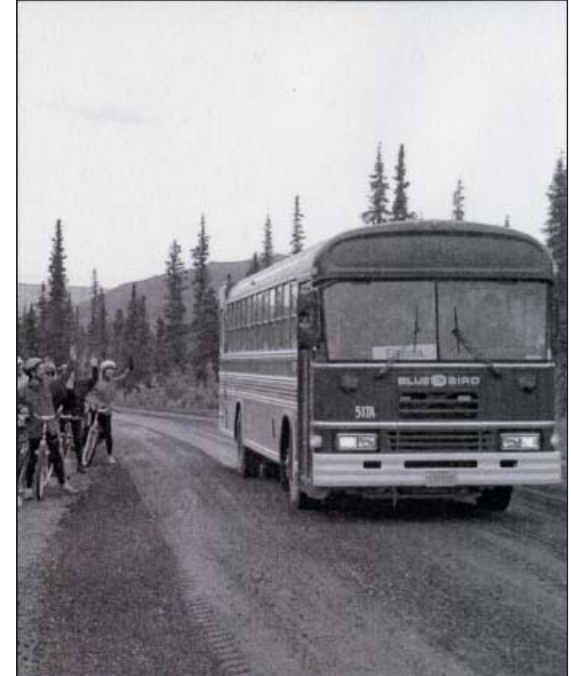
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Biking



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STOP!
and
Put Your Foot Down
when buses approach.

BE ALERT
for **Bears** and **Buses**.

Know The Rules